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Applicant: Robinson et al

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Title: LINEAR SEAT RECLINER FOR STRUCTURAL SEAT

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Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Preliminary to the Examiner's review of this application, please consider the following:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims in accordance with the following rewritten claim in clean form. Applicant includes herewith an Attachment for Claim Amendments showing a marked up version of each amended claim.

16. (AMENDED) The recliner rod of Claim 13 wherein said stop is adapted to engage the housing to limit the travel of said recliner rod relative to the housing.

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